Construction of two bridges in Indi Taluk

94. SRI S S. ARAKERI (Balloli).—Will the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the reasons for not taking up the construction of bridges across a halla of Shiradon village as well as Halasangi village of Indi Taluk, Bijapur District, even though the estimates are ready and included in the budget long back :

(*b*) whether it has come to the notice of Government that the travelling public are put to lot of inconvenience for not constructing these two bridges :

(*c*) whether it has also come to the notice of Government that these two roads are inter-State State Highways inter-linking Pandarpur and Sholapur cities of Maharashtra State and the distance would be the shortest if these bridges are constructed.

(*d*) whether the Government undertake construction of these two bridges immediately ?

SRI S. BANGARAPPA (Minister for Public Works). —

(*a*) Inadequacy of funds.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) The road from Indi leading to Pandarpur *via* Zalki and Shiradon village is a State Highway.

The road from Indi railway station to N.H. 13 *via* Halsangi is M.D.R. upto Halsangi and V.R. from Halsangi to N.H. 13. This route will shorten the length by about 9 km. to Sholapur from Indi compared to route from Indi to Sholapur *via* Zalki.

(*d*) This will be examined subject to availability of funds.

Publications by Government Departments

168. SRI H. GANGADHARAN (Krishnaraja). —Will the Minister for Education be pleased to state : —

(*a*) what are all the publications that are being brought out by the various departments and Government such as monthlies, weeklies annual and periodical publications ;

(*b*) the amount spent on such publications every year ;

(*c*) the annual expenditure being incurred on the establishment of such publications ?

SRI B. SUBBAYYA SHETTY (Minister for Education).—

(*a*) List attended.

List

Additional Director of Public Instruction and Director of State Educational Research and Training :—

1.	"Prathamika Shikshika" (Kannada)	...	Quarterly.
2.	"Guidance News" (Kannada)	...	Quarterly.
3.	"Teachers Educator" (English)	...	Periodical

Department of Printing, Stationery and Publications

	"Mudrana Jyothi"	...	Quarterly.

Department of Youth Services

	"Youth Karnataka"	...	Quarterly.

(*b*)—

			Rs. Ps.
1.	Additional D.P.I. & Dir. S.E.R.T.	...	55,000-00
2.	Department of Printing, Stationery and Publications	...	1,600-00
3.	Department of Youth Services	...	49,312-82

(*c*)—

1.	Additional D.P.I. and Director, State Educational Research and Training	...	Nil
2.	Department of Printing, Stationery & Publications	...	Nil
3.	Depa tment of Youth Services	...Rs.	44,546-35

Abolition of Graduates' and Teachers' Constituencies in the Legislative Council

261. SRI GOVIND P. VADEYARAJ (Kamalapur).—Will the Minister for Agriculture and Parliamentary Affairs be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that the Karnataka State Government has recommended to the Central Government for abolition of Graduates' and Teachers' Constituencies of the Karnataka Legislative Council ;

(*b*) if so, when and the reasons therefor ;

(*c*) if not, the constitutional position in the matter ;

(*d*) the opinion of Government of India in the matter ?

SRI K. H. RANGANATH (Minister for Agriculture and Parliamentary Affairs).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Recommendation to Central Government has been made for abolition of Teachers' Constituencies on 20th July 1978 and of Graduates' Constituencies on 25th July 1978.

The reason for making recommendation to Central Government was that the Central Government requested for opinion in rsepect of the Teachers' Constituencies. The State Government took a decision in respect of both the Constituencies.

(*c*) There will be no change in the constitution position.

(*d*) As the views have recently been communicated to Government of India, its opinion (if any) is awaited.

Alleged ill-treatment to the High Court Judge

ಶ್ರೀ ಹಾರ್ನಹಳ್ಳಿ ರಾಮಸ್ವಾಮಿ (ಗಂಡಸಿ).—ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನ ಸೆಳೆಯುವ ಸೂಚನೆಯನ್ನು ೬ ದಿವಸಗಳ ಹಿಂದೆಯೇ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೆ. .....

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ತಮ್ಮ ಕುಂದುಕೊರತೆ ಏನಿದೆ ಅದನ್ನು ಬರೆದು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿ ನಾನು ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಹಾರ್ನಹಳ್ಳಿ ರಾಮಸ್ವಾಮಿ.—ನಾನು ಹೇಳಬೇಕೆಂದಿರುವ ವಿಷಯವಾದರೂ ಏನು ಇದೆ ಅದನ್ನಾದರೂ ಕೇಳಿ. ಈ ರಾಜ್ಯದ ಉಚ್ಚ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದಲ್ಲಿರತಕ್ಕಂಥ ಒಬ್ಬ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಧೀಶರಿಗೆ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕವಾಗಿ ಅಗೌರವ ತೋರಿಸಿರುವಂತಹ ವಿಷಯು ನಾನು ಕೇಳಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ಅದೂ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲೂ ಕೂಡ ಬಂದಿದೆ.

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ತಮ್ಮ ಗಮನ ಸೆಳೆಯುವ ಸೂಚನೆಯನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದೆ. ಅದು ಖಾಸಗಿ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ, ಆದರಲ್ಲಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿ ಇಲ್ಲ ಎಂಬುದಾಗಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಿಂದ ಉತ್ತರ ಬಂದಿದೆ. ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ನಾನು ಅವಕಾಶ ಕೊಡುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಹಾರ್ನಹಳ್ಳಿ ರಾಮಸ್ವಾಮಿ.—ಈ ವಿಷಯು ಸಭೆಯು ಮುಂದೆ ಬರಬೇಕೇ ಬೇಡವೇ ಅದು ಬೇರೆ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ. ಆದರೆ ಇದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಏನು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾರೆ ಅದನ್ನಾದರೂ ಹೇಳಲಿ, ತಾವು ದಯವಾಡಿ ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಡಬೇಕು.

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ತಾವು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದ ಗಮನ ಸೆಳೆಯುವ ಸೂಚನೆಯನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ಅದು ಖಾಸಗಿ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ, ಆದರಲ್ಲಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿ ಇಲ್ಲ ಎಂಬುದಾಗಿ ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಿಂದ ಉತ್ತರ ಬಂದಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಈಗ ತಾವು ಆ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಯನ್ನು ಚರ್ಚೆ ಮಾಡುವ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಯೇ ಉದ್ಭವಿಸುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

SRI C. M. ARUMUGHAM (KGF).—Sir, I am not saying against your ruling. But you will have to kindly allow him to make a statement. A public function is different from an official function. These politicians attend any type of function—public function or unofficial function But officials are expected to attend only official functions, If in an official function or non-official function, any person belonging to any community is dishonoured and is not respected simply because he belongs to a particular caste, I submit this is the place where we have to raise the issue. Where else shall we go ? He said : Ministers are Ministess for 24 hours. A senior Judge of the